

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re application of:	)
Mark R. Vandlik et al.	)
Serial No. 10/765,498	)
Filed: January 26, 2004	)
Group Art No.: 3761	)
Examiner: Leslie R. Deak	)
For: Blood Processing Systems and	)
Methods That Employ An	)
In-line Flexible Leukofilter	)

Commissioner for Patents  
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF NOVEMBER 2, 2007**

This is in response the Office Action of November 2, 2007. It is respectfully requested that this amendment be entered and that the application be reconsidered and allowed.

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